

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Applicant	P. Benaroch et al.	
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**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

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Sir:

In reply to the issues raised by the Examiner in the Office Action mailed January 27, 2006, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the pending rejection and reexamination of the present application in view of the following remarks.

**Remarks** begin on page 2 of this paper.